OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 4TH JULY 1925.

A total of 25 attacks with 16 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 59 attacks and 41 deaths in the week previous, the districts affected being Mysore, Hassan and Kadur. The cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. No cases of other epidemics, *viz.*, cholera, influenza or relapsing fever were returned during the week.

3. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 68, representing a calculated annual ratio of 21·39 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·35 for 1924. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under malaria, 4 under pneumonia, 1 under typhoid, 3 under other fevers, 8 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 50 under all other causes.

4. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 87; representing a calculated annual ratio of 22·91 per mille of population against the average ratio of 29·01 for 1924. The causes of deaths were, small-pox 1, malaria 1, pneumonia 8, other fevers 1, phthisis 4, dysentery and diarrhœa 4, and all other causes 18.

5. There were 40 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area, equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 23·72 per mille of population, against the average ratio of 28·15 for 1924. The deaths numbered 1 under malaria, 2 under pneumonia, 1 under phthisis, 10 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 26 under all other causes.

B. MAHOMED USMON,
Sanitary Commissioner.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. Meteorological Observations for June 1925.

Height of Observatory above Sea Level	BANGALORE	MYSORE	HASSAN	CHITALDRUG
	3,021 ft.	2,518 ft.	3,149 ft.	2,405 ft.
Barometer (red. to 32° F.)	26·363	27·353	26·748	27·421
Temperatures in shade :—				
Dry Bulb	72·0	72·9	71·6	74·1
Daily Max. do	85·9	85·5	81·1	86·5
Daily Min. do	67·1	67·6	65·6	69·9
Wet Bulb	67·3	68·6	67·5	68·3
Temperatures of Radiation :—				
Daily Max. Solar Heat in Vacuo	132·0	....	...	....
Daily Min. Temp. on Grass	65·5	....	...	....
Rainfall : - Total in inches	7·37	2·20	3·10	0·60
Wind Direction ...	S 76° W	S 54° W	N 83° W	S 77° W
Velocity (miles per day)	169	127	188	170
Clear Sky : Percentage	26	38	42	13
Bright Sunshine : Hours daily	5·8	....	....	

BANGALORE
Dated 4th July 1925

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